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Chamundi Hill Temple awaits India's First Citizen

▶ Public entry barred from morning till 11.30 am ▶ Dasara inauguration between 9.45 am and 10.05 am ▶ Security tightened ▶ Hill Temple wears a bridal look ▶ Silver chariot cleaned, polished, decorated

The silver chariot on which the decked-up idol of Goddess Chamundeshwari will be placed for Dasara inauguration tomorrow being dragged to be placed at the appropriate location this morning.

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (MTY&BCT)- For the first time in the history of Dasara, the 10-day *Nada Habba* will be inaugurated by the President of India Droupadi Murmu tomorrow (Sept. 26) in the auspicious *Vruschika Lagna* between 9.45 am and 10.05 am atop Chamundi Hill.

The President will shower flower petals on the decked-up idol of Goddess Chamundeshwari on a silver chariot along with Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai amidst chanting of *mantras*.

The President's short visit to Mysuru will be limited to the Dasara inauguration and her special aircraft will land at Mysore Airport in Mandakalli at 9 am. She will be received by Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot and the Chief Minister.

From the Airport, her cavalcade will proceed directly to Chamundi Hill where the President will first have a *darshan* of the Goddess inside the *sanctum sanctorum* of the historic Temple.

(See TEMPLE on page 6)

To Our Readers

Turn to Page-8 for an exclusive interview with Krishna Devaraya, the 19th descendant of Anegundi Samsthanam and Vijayanagar rulers. —**Ed**

More than five lakh footfalls expected at Flower Show

Organisers pin hopes on 2019 event that saw four to five lakh visitors

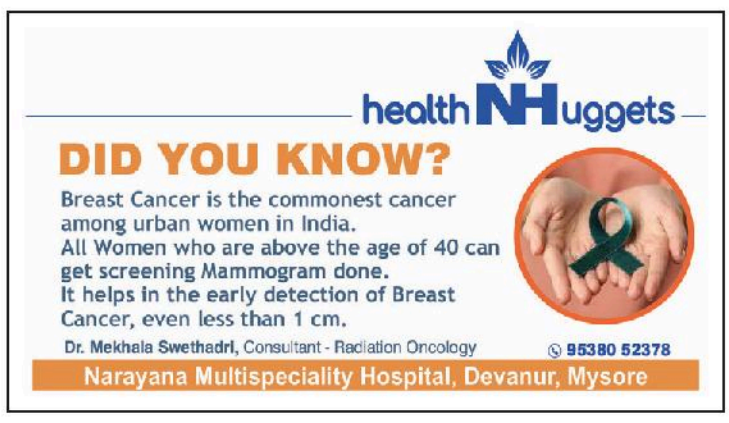
A house built exclusively with capsicum at Dasara Flower Show in Kuppanna Park this morning.

ENTRY FEE
Adults – Rs. 30
Children – Rs. 20

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (MTY&BCT)- More than five lakh people are expected to view this year's Dasara Flower Show at Kuppanna Park (Nishad Bagh). The show is scheduled to give a significant boost to the tourism of Mysuru which is already upbeat over grand celebrations after two years of the COVID pandemic.

In 2019, over 4-5 lakh people visited the Flower Show and the numbers will cross five lakh this time, said Zilla Panchayat CEO B.R. Poornima, who is also the Dasara Flower Show Sub-Committee Working President.

(See FLOWER SHOW on page 7)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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Sunday 25th September 2022

Free registration to avail benefits under PMJAY Scheme

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (SSM)- Ayushman Bharat Yojana, also called as the Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PMJAY), is a scheme that aims to help the economically weaker section of the society who are in need of healthcare facilities.

It is the world's largest health insurance scheme fully financed by the Central Government that was introduced by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Sept. 23, 2018. Over 50 crore citizens have already benefited under the Scheme.

This Scheme provides Rs. 5 lakh per BPL card holder family per year for secondary and tertiary care hospitalisation across public and private empanelled hospitals in India. APL card holder will be provided with Rs. 1.5 lakh.

Registration for the Scheme is free. General public may register at all the Gram Panchayats in Mysuru district limits and at any Grama One Centres across the State. While registering, one must carry copies of Aadhaar card, Ration card and other necessary documents, according to a press release from Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) Dr. B.S. Manjunatha Swamy.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

In the good old days, as my grandfather reminisced, people visited each other at the drop of a hat, on the spur. They would go from one village to another in a bullock cart, which was loaded with freshly harvested fruits and vegetables, to meet their relatives. People were welcome into the homes, anytime.

When the post cards arrived, the postman undertook the job of delivering handwritten messages to our dear ones and exchanged pleasantries with them. He was, in a way, our proxy.

With the advancement of technology to unfathomable levels, a perceptible change in lifestyle is evident. The world has shrunk, votaries of the change will vociferously claim.

Even if you are physically separated from your near and dear ones by thousands of miles, you can still talk, see each other online and use the advanced modes of commuting to meet each other in the shortest possible time, whenever required. But this has largely remained an urban phenomena and is not applicable to villages, small towns and cities.

In any given bank, not long ago, the branch manager had all the details of his customers at his fingertips. He even knew the family members of his customers. In fact, it was not uncommon for a manager to make friendly enquiries about someone's daughter who was ill; whether their ward had secured admission in the college of their choice; if the marriage arrangements of the customer's son or daughter was progressing satisfactorily and so on. There was warm exchanges of pleasantries and genuine concern...

—M.S. Vaidyanathan in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

1,415 students play red light/green light for Record

California: A Guinness World Record was broken at the University of California Irvine when 1,415 students participated in a game of red light/green light.

The school announced 1,415 students participated in the traditional playground game Wednesday in Aldrich Park as part of UCI's Welcome Week tradition of attempting a Guinness World Record.

A Guinness adjudicator was present at the event and verified the game broke the record of 1,203 participants, which was set by students at Oregon's Willamette University in 2015.

The school's previous Guinness World Records include the largest game of balloon tag (2017), the largest game of dodgeball (2012), the largest water pistol fight (2013), the largest game of capture the flag (2015).

'Shleep Sanctuary'

Sussex: Nearly half of Brits have struggled to fall asleep in the past year — but now, for the first time, they can count real sheep in a bid to help them nod off. "Counting sheep" has long been a common technique to help people drift off into slumber — but a field in Sussex is launching the world's first sheep-counting experience featuring real livestock.

A glass dome will house a luxurious double bed for two guests, set among idyllic hillside views — and surrounded by a flock of fluffy sheep, each with a number painted on them.

Guests will be encouraged to count the numbered sheep before gently drifting off into a blissful slumber beneath the stars. And after tucking into dinner and settling in for the night, guests will wake up to a guided yoga session before enjoying a breakfast hamper full of locally-sourced food. The unique experience will include dinner, breakfast, and a yoga session.

Sleep tech company Emma Sleep, which is creating the "Shleep Sanctuary" experience, have launched a contest offering two people the chance to try it when it opens in summer 2023.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Increased sweating, feeling tired and anxious, mood swings and irritability, irregular periods in the form of frequent or delayed periods while attaining menopause is completely normal. This commonly happens between age group of 45 to 55 years in all women.

By Dr. Amulya K.G. - Consultant - Obstetrics and Gynecology
Manipal Hospital, Mysore

manipalhospitals
LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Festival Fever at Samridhi

Mysuru, Sept. 25- The season of happiness, joy and celebration is here as SAMRIDHI revisits the royal city of Mysuru with its vibrant spirit and fashion forward styles on Sept. 29 and 30 at Hotel Quorum, Vinoba Road. The expo will be open for visitors from 10.30 am to 8.30 pm.

Samridhi is on its way to Mysuru concluding your quest for everything fine and elegant with curations from different cities under one roof. It's time for some shopping fun.

SAKHI BY THE CHANDRA's gives more reason to rejoice by launching a special festival edit of stunning sarees and jewellery. FUSCHIA designer jewellery brings you the latest festive, contemporary and wedding collection of exquisite hand-crafted jewellery. With KURTINEST, embrace the magic of Indian ethnic wear.

Enjoy the fashion outfits by TRENDITIONAL that are comfortable and cute. It's a cotton carnival at NEYNISH FASHION with colourful soft fabrics and salwar suits. Effortless drapes and fluidity make the sarees by PRAGATHI COLLECTION a must have. KASHWI CREATION will showcase a line-up of trendy suits and kurtas. Oxidised and Silver jewellery by PECHAN will wow you. CHEMISIER presents the latest fashion in blouses.

Sensational sarees by ETHEREAL / IRIS is perfect for the festive season. MAHADEVIS SHRINGAR will present the evergreen lucknowi kurtas in a multitude of colours and styles. LILLY presents a trendy and glamorous collection of chickenkari kaftans. DEZIRES will showcase chick and trendy tops and pant sets.

Cast ironware, home decor, designer cholis and much more will all add to the glitz and glamour of SAMRIDHI, says Geeta Patel, the Organiser.

REALLY...?

- ***Sheep do not have top front teeth: Sheep have a hard upper palate that the lower teeth press up against to breakdown food.***
- ***This groove is called a philtrum. Sheep are selective grazers, and prefer to eat vegetation close to the soil surface. The philtrum allows them to get close to the ground and only select the grasses and other vegetation that they like.***
- ***Sheep have an excellent sense of smell. They even have scent glands in front of their eyes and on their feet!***
- ***Sheep are able to experience emotions such as fear, anger, rage, despair, boredom, disgust and happiness.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

A couple was having dinner at a fancy restaurant. As the food was served, Husband: *"the food looks delicious, let's eat."*

Wife: *Honey.....you say prayer before eating at home.*

Husband: *That's at home sweetheart... here the chef knows how to cook!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 81.23
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 88.12
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.12
1 Euro	= Rs. 78.72

VOICE OF THE READER

Prof. T.N. Srikantaiah:
Recalling two incidents

Prof. T.N. Srikantaiah

Sir,

I read with interest the article paying tributes to the renowned scholar, Prof. T.N. Srikantaiah, written by Dr. Bhagirath S. Naganath *(Star of Mysore* dated Sept. 19 and 20). Dr. Bhagirath has very well portrayed the scholarship and contribution of Prof. T.N. Srikantaiah, who was well-known as 'Tee. Nam. Sri'. I congratulate him for his excellent write-up on this revered scholar and look forward to more such articles from him.

His article brought to my memory two incidents related to Prof. Srikantaiah. I distinctly remember the day when he passed away on Sept. 7, 1966, in far off Calcutta, now named Kolkata. His sudden demise came as a rude shock to his students and admirers in Mysuru and elsewhere. It was the early days of my career as a reporter and had joined the Kannada daily, 'Samyukta Karnakata', published from Bengaluru.

My office called me late in the evening that day and informed me of the Professor's demise asking me to meet a few senior scholars and Professors and get their condolences so that they can take it for the morning edition.

Accordingly, I peddled to the house of Prof. D.L. Narasimhachar, another literary giant, who lived in Saraswathipuram and told him of the sad news. Prof. Narasimhachar was shocked to learn of the sudden passing away of Prof. Srikantaiah. He was visibly shaken and could not say anything. He went to his room without saying anything to me although I was waiting.

Sensing the situation, I continued to wait for him in the verandah of his house. After a few minutes, he came out and handed over a small chit to me. On that piece of paper, he had scribbled a few lines expressing his sorrow over the untimely death of Prof. Srikantaiah.

The small note on which he had written his tribute to the late Professor is safe in one of my files. I vividly remember this sad incident and regret that I had to break the news of Prof. T.N. Srikantaiah's death to him that late evening, leaving him in a state of shock.

Another incident that I very well remember also relates to Prof. Srikantaiah when Prof. K.M. Panikkar was the Vice-Chancellor of Mysore University earlier in 1963. A statesman and diplomat, Dr. Panikkar had served in China as India's Ambassador, then a country of the iron curtain because of its rigid Communist policies.

Dr. Panikkar was a statesman of sharp intellect. Those days, the Academic Council meetings of the University used to extend for several hours, sometimes the debates extended to the next day. But, under the chairmanship of Dr. Panikkar, it turned out to be different. The meetings ended within about an hour, and the agenda was fully covered.

The debates were cut to a brief expression of views on the subjects listed in the agenda. Members had to express their opinion succinctly and not go on for hours, exhibiting their oratory skills.

Many times, the Vice-Chancellor took the members by surprise by saying, "This is what you wanted to say, isn't it?" With this remark, he would cut short a member's speech and make him resume his seat, leaving him perplexed.

One Professor resented this and tried to assert by saying that he had a doctoral degree from an American University and hence should be allowed to have his say. Dr. Panikkar cut him short by sharply remarking, "Even barbers get Ph.Ds in America. Sit down." Shocked at this rebuke, the crest-fallen Professor sat down without uttering a word.

When Prof. Srikantaiah rose to speak, Dr. Panikkar allowed him to express his opinion. Probably, he was aware of the scholarship of Prof. Srikantaiah and respected him also. Prof. Srikantaiah was also aware of the abilities and intellect of Prof. Panikkar, who was sharp in reading the mind of a speaker. He expressed his opinion crisply in a few sentences and sat down. I could see Prof. Panikkar listening to him with attention.

During those days, Mysore University had many such noble souls whose scholarship was widely recognised and respected. Prof. Tee. Nam. Shri. was one such stalwart.

—Gouri Satya
Journalist
Camp: San Francisco, USA
24.9.2022

Five-day Kaigarika Dasara from Sept. 26 to 30

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (SSM)- Mysore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MCCI), along with various Industrial Associations from Mysuru, has organised a five-day Kaigarika Dasara for the first time in city at various locations from Sept. 26 to 30.

Disclosing this at a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan recently, MCCI President K.B. Lingaraju thanked the State Government, District in-Charge Minister S.T. Somashekar and the District Administration for helping them to organise the event. "Kaigarika Dasara will be beneficial to Industrial sectors," he added.

The five-day programme schedule is as follows:

Sept. 26 and Sept. 27: A two-day Industrial Seminar will be held at Vijnana Bhavan in Manasagangothri premises. Seminar will include discussions on topics like Industrial marketing, export of products and financial assistance under various Government Schemes. Women and SC/ST entrepreneurs will be addressed by the experts from concerned Government Departments and Banks Officials.

Sept. 28: One-day Vendor Development programme and exhibition at MCCI building in Hebbal Industrial Area. Around 25 public sectors of Central and State Governments, Large and Medium Scale Industries will participate. Industrial exhibitors will display their products. An interaction meeting between Large, Medium and Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME) industrialists is also arranged.

Sept. 29 and Sept. 30: Two-day Industrial Tour has been organised for Industrialists and Technical students. They will be taken to 15 MSME Industries on Sept. 29 and 15 large and medium scale industries on Sept. 30.

SC/ST Kaigarikodyamigala Sangha Mysuru President Manju, MCCI Hon. Treasurer S.J. Ashok, Hon. Secretary A.K. Shivaji Rao and Hon. Joint Secretary Vinod Jain were present at the press meet.

Durga Puja by Bengali Association

Mysuru, Sept. 25- Bengali Association of Mysooru is celebrating Durga Puja from Oct. 1 to Oct. 5 at Anjaneyaswamy Temple, opposite Railway Grounds, KRS Road here.

The Association is celebrating its 42nd year of Durga Puja in the Royal City of Mysuru.

Durga Puja Samiti was separated as a branch from the Bangiya Sanskritik Parishad which intended to promote Bengali culture and tradition.

Durga Puja 2022

Bengali culture has found its place in Mysuru, which is famous worldwide for its Dasara celebrations. "Mahishuru" or "Mahishasurana Ooru" is associated with Devi Bhagavatha.

According to a story of Devi Purana, the city was ruled by the buffalo-headed demon Mahishasura. Goddess Chamundeshwari killed the monster on top of the hill near Mysuru. This place is later today known as Chamundi Hill.

Celebrating Bengal in Mysuru.

During the Sharad month of Bengali calendar, in the Devi Paksha, Durga Puja is celebrated by Bengalis the world over by Akal Bodhon of Devi Durga; it is also celebrated as Navartri — Ram Leela, Garbha, in other parts of the country.

This year Bengali Association's celebrations will last for 5 days. Devotees can visit Anjaneyaswamy Temple near CFTRI compound, KRS Road.

Puja will be done along with some cultural programmes and celebrations from Association members and their family.

We have a special performance by the Bengali folk band "Achin Pakhi" on Oct. 4 from 7.30 pm onwards.

—Mrinmoy Chakraborty
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Dasara Alankara at Hill Temple

Mysuru, Sept. 25- As part of *Sharannavarathri,* the Chamundi Hill Temple, where the 10-day Dasara Festival will be inaugurated on Sept. 26 by President Droupadi Murmu, will be specially decorated on all days.

The alankaras will be as follows: Sept. 26, Chamundeshwari Temple will be decorated with *Brahmi Alankara;* Sept. 27: *Maheshwari Alankara,* Sept. 28: *Koumari Alankara,* Sept. 29: *Vaishnavai Alankara,* Sept. 30: *Varahi Alankara,* Oct. 1: *Indrani Alankara,* Oct. 2: *Saraswathi Alankara* and in the evening *Kaalaratri,* Oct. 3: *Durga Alankara,* Oct. 4: *Gajalakshmi Alankara* and Oct. 5: *Ashwarohana Alankara,* according to a press release from Temple authorities.

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Corrections and Clarifications

In the *Abracadabra* column titled ***Dialectics on Basic Instinct*** published in *Star of Mysore* dated Friday, 23rd September 2022 in the fourth column please read as **"...as described by Tulsidas in his *Ramcharitmanas*"** and not as printed. The error is regretted. **—K.B. Ganapathy**

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NEWS BRIEFS

Free health camp

Mysuru branch of Family Planning Association of India (FPAI) will be conducting a free health check-up camp for women at its premises at L-18, 3rd Cross, St. Mary's Road, NR Mohalla, at 10.30 am on Sept. 27. Women are screened for pregnancy, gynaecological, menstruation, tubectomy, laparoscopy, bleeding, cervical, ovarian and other health problems. Free health check-up camp will be held every Tuesdays till the end of December 2022. [Ph: 0821- 2456734/ 2973709 or Mob: 98459-19988, 74113-34758].

Medical check-up for senior citizens

Women and Child Development Department, Department for Empowerment of Differently Abled and Senior Citizens and the Office of District Disabled Welfare Officer have jointly organised a medical check-up camp for senior citizens as part of World Senior Citizen's Day at District Hospital, Mysuru, on Sept. 28 at 9 am. For details, visit the Office of District Disabled Welfare Officer on Pulakeshi Road or call Ph: 0821-2490333.

District-level sports & cultural competition

Women and Child Development Department, Department for Empowerment of Differently Abled and Senior Citizens and the Office of District Disabled Welfare Officer have jointly organised a district-level sports and cultural competition for senior citizens as part of World Senior Citizen's Day at Government School for the Deaf and Dumb, Tilak Nagar, Mysuru, on Sept. 29 at 9 am. Senior citizens may register their names for cultural contests before 5 pm on Sept. 27 and those for district-level sports contest before 5 pm on Sept. 28 by calling on Ph: 0821-2490333. Senior citizens must bring age proof documents.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80 feet
Today	:	124.18 feet
Yesterday	:	124.32 feet
Inflow	:	5,074 cusecs
Outflow	:	7,127 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,857.50 feet
Inflow	:	922 cusecs
Outflow	:	1,437 cusecs

Olympian Sakshi Malik to open Dasara Wrestling contest

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (GA&TRR)- "Sakshi Malik, who won a Bronze medal for India in Freestyle Wrestling at the Rio Olympic Games 2016, will be the chief guest for the Dasara Wrestling Competitions-2022," said Additional Superintendent of Police B.N. Nandini who is also the Deputy Special Officer of Dasara Wrestling Sub-Committee.

Sakshi Malik

She was speaking to press persons at City Police Commissioner's Office on Saturday.

"The Dasara Wrestling competitions will be inaugurated tomorrow (Sept. 26) at 3.30 pm by Youth Empowerment and Sports Minister Dr. K.C. Narayana Gowda and Olympic Bronze medallist Sakshi Malik will be the chief guest," she said.

The pairing process of this year Dasara *Nada Kusti* competitions is completed and competitions will be held for from Sept. 29 to Oct. 2 for various awards like *Dasara Kanteerava, Dasara Kesari, Dasara Kishori, Dasara Kumar* and *Dasara Kishor*.

In *Nada Kusti* competitions, *Dasara Kishor* matches will be held for 57 kg to 65 kg category, *Dasara Kesari* up to 86 kg, *Dasara Kanteerava* matches for men is above 86 kg and for *Dasara Kishori* matches for women is from 57 kg up to 62 kg. For above 74 kg, *Mysuru Dasara Kumar* competitions will be held.

Winners of *Dasara Kanteerava, Dasara Kesari, Dasara Kumar, Dasara Kishori* and *Dasara Kishor* competitions will be presented Silver Maces weighing 1.25 kg, 1 kg, 0.75 kg and 0.5 kg respectively. In addition, best wrestlers will receive Mayor Cup, Sahukar Chennaiah Cup and Mysuru Maharaja Wadiyar Cup. Best Wrestler of city will be given the Mayor Cup, Best Rural Wrestler will be given Mysuru Maharaja Wadiyar Cup and State Best Wrestler will be given Sahukar Chennaiah Cup.

Arm Wrestling *(Panja Kusti)*

On Sept. 29, 7th State-level Arm Wrestling *(Panja Kusti)* competitions have been organised for men, women and 4th Arm Wrestling competition for Specially Abled. As a special attraction, winners will be given *Mysuru Dasara Kumari* Award (women), *Mysuru Dasara Sri* Award (men) and Specially Abled Women winner will be given *Dasara Navachetana Thare* Award and Specially Abled Men winner will be given *Vishesha Chetana* Award.

To encourage men wrestlers from Mysuru Division who are participating in Dasara Wrestling competitions, *Dasara Kumara* Award and 0.5 kg Silver Mace will be given. This award will be given for the winners of above 74 kg wrestling contest," said Nandini.

***Nada Kusti* Tournament Main attraction**

A *Marpit* Wrestling Competition between Kolhapur's Siddeshwar Mouli Jamadale and Haryana's Vikas Kala and a 30-minute Wrestling competition between Belagavi's Sunil Padatare and Punjab's Abhimanyu will be the highlights of *Nada Kusti* competitions. Both the competitions will be held on Sept. 26.

Dasara Wrestling Sub-Committee President Devaraj, Vice-President Mahesh Raje Urs and Secretary S.J. Harshavardhan were present at the press meet.

Mysore University approves amendments to Ph.D regulations

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (RK&DM)- Bringing about some changes in norms for Ph.D Degree (Doctor of Philosophy), the University of Mysore (UoM) Academic Council on Friday approved amendments to Ph.D regulations-2022 governing the standards and procedures for the award of Degree of Philosophy.

The Council meeting took place at the College of Fine Arts in Manasagangothri and was chaired by UoM Vice-Chancellor (VC) Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar.

The new regulations will come into effect from the current academic year (2022-23) and complies with the UGC notification issued in this regard in 2016. The Varsity, which had brought the amendments five years ago, now relaxed the 5+2 year norm by an additional year, which allows the students to complete their Ph.D in 6 years after their enrolment, thus saving them one year. Earlier, the University had given five years, plus an additional two years to complete their Ph.D Degree.

University of Mysore Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar seen addressing a press meet in city on Friday as others look on.

As per the new amendment, a Professor can guide eight research scholars and as well as two foreign students, one student from Kalyana Karnataka region and one specially abled student. Associate Professors can now guide six and Assistant Professors four research students to write their Doctoral thesis.

As regards the entrance test for Ph.D, the pattern of the qualifying exam has been changed. Now the question paper of 100 marks will comprise 100 objective type questions. There will be no descriptive type or short answer questions from this year in the entrance test. Previously, the 100 marks question paper comprised of 50 objective type questions of one mark each and descriptive type or short answer questions for 50 marks.

According to Registrar (Evaluation) Prof. Jnanaprakash, the Council also reduced the Ph.D course work to 16 weeks from 20 weeks. A General Category candidate securing 50 marks out of 100 in the Ph.D entrance test shall be declared as qualified and will be eligible to approach a guide, while the qualifying marks for OBC candidates is 45 and that for SC/ST candidates is 40 out of 100 marks, he pointed out and added that the Ph.D registration will be valid for 6 years from the date of registration.

The Council also approved the syllabus for various courses introduced by different departments and the University School of Engineering and departments as per NEP-2020.

A section of the Council members took strong objection to nine students of Mass Communication and Journalism Department who were short on attendance, granted permission to appear for the exam. VC Prof. Hemantha Kumar said a Committee would be constituted to ensure that the regulations pertaining to attendance are complied by all departments of the University. The meeting also discussed the issue of non-allocation of grants to library activities.

Registrar Prof. R. Shivappa, Finance Officer Sangeetha Gajanan Hegde, K-SET Coordinator Prof. Rajashekar, several heads of departments and Academic Council members were present.

Traffic restrictions, one-ways and no parking zones during Dasara

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (KS)- Keeping in mind the heavy influx of tourist vehicles to city for Dasara, City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta has issued orders restricting movement of vehicles on city roads, creation of one-way rule, no parking zones and alternate routes for private buses on city roads.

One-way routes from Sept. 26 to Oct. 5 between 4 pm and 11 pm

Roads around Mysore Palace

Traffic has been restricted (clockwise, except from Basaveshwara Circle till Gun House Circle). Keeping Mysore Palace at the centre, movement of vehicles is allowed (anti-clockwise) from Gun House Circle – Wrestling arena – B.N. Road – Hardinge Circle – K.R. Circle – New Sayyaji Rao Road – Basaveshwara Circle – Chamaraja Double Road to Gun House Circle.

From Sayyaji Rao Road, K.R. Circle till Govt. Ayurveda Hospital Circle

Vehicles coming from K.R. Circle towards New Sayyaji Rao Road – Bata Junction – Govt. Ayurveda Hospital Circle – Irwin Road – Nehru Circle- Ashoka Road – Silver Jubilee Clock Tower and K.R. Circle . Keeping these places in the centre, movement of vehicles in the clockwise direction is allowed. Vehicular movement in the anti-clock direction is banned.

Movement of vehicles towards South from Ashoka Road – Dawood Khan Road Junction till Nehru Circle is allowed and made as one-way. Vehicular movement from Nehru Circle till Ashoka Road – Dawood Khan Road Junction is banned.

From Chamaraja Double Road till Banumaiah Chowk

One-way has been created from Chamaraja Double Road till Banumaiah Chowk and vehicles are allowed to move towards North side. Movement of vehicles from South to North is banned.

From Agrahara Circle to Chamaraja Double Road on Thyagaraja road

One way has been created towards North side from Agrahara Circle – Thyagaraja Road – Chamaraja Double Road. Movement of vehicles towards South from Chamaraja Double Road till Agrahara on Thyagaraja Road is banned.

From Hardinge Circle side till Karanji Lake Road Junction (Circus Ground Junction) on Lokaranjan Mahal Road

Movement of vehicles from Hardinge Circle towards East till Karanji Lake Road Junction is banned. Vehicles can move on the one-way road from the east side of Karanji Lake junction towards west side till Hardinge Circle.

B.N. Road junction till Ashoka Road Junction on Chandragupta Road

One-way rule is already in force from B.N. Road Junction till Ashoka Road junction on Chandragupta Road. This rule has been temporarily lifted from Sept. 26 till Oct. 5 and one-way rule has been made from (West to East) Ashoka Road Junction till B.N. Road Junction.

From Chirag Hotel Junction till F.K. Irani Circle on Mysuru Zoo Road

Movement of vehicles has been banned (North to South) from F.K. Irani Circle till Chirag Hotel Junction. Vehicles can move from (South to North) Chirag Hotel Junction till F.K. Irani Circle (One-way).

Roads banned for traffic from Sept. 26 till Oct. 3 (4 pm to 11 pm)

Movement of all type of vehicles has been banned from Ekalvya Circle on Krishnaraja Boulevard Road till Kautilya Circle.

Alternate route: Vehicles moving from Ekalvya Circle towards Hunsur Road should move via Saraswathipuram Fire Brigade – Government Printing Press Junction to reach Kalamandira Junction and move further on Hunsur Road.

Vehicles coming from Hunsur Road side should pass via Kalamandira Junction – Government Printing Press Junction and Saraswathipuram Fire Brigade.

Alternate routes for private buses from Sept. 26 to Oct. 3 from 4 pm to 11 pm

From T. Narasipur and Bannur sides

Arrival: Private buses coming from Bannur and T. Narasipur sides should ply via R. Mahadevappa Circle (Teresian College Circle) – Dr. Rajkumar Road – Udayagiri KEB Junction – take a right turn to Mahadevapura Road – take a left turn on the Ring Road- Pushpashrama Junction – Manipal Hospital Junction – take a left turn on Bengaluru-Mysuru Road – pass via Dandi Maramma Temple Junction – Link Road Junction- take a right turn to reach T.N. Narasimhamurthy Circle (LIC Circle) – pass through Nelson Mandela Road – Highway Circle – Sayyaji Rao Road – Subhas Chandra Bose Circle and reach the Private Bus Stand.

Departure: Private Bus Stand – Sayyaji Rao Road – Subhas Chandra Bose Circle – Highway Circle – Nelson Mandela Road – LIC Circle – take a left turn – pass on Bengaluru-Mysuru Road – JSS Dental College Junction – Nandi Basappa Gori Junction – Toll Gate Junction – take a left turn to reach Manipal Hospital Junction – take a right turn on the Ring Road and pass via Pushpashrama Junction – Mahadevapura Check Post Junction – take a right turn on Mahadevapura Road – pass via Udayagiri KEB Junction – take a left turn on Dr. Rajkumar Road to reach Teresian College Circle and move further.

From KRS side

Private buses coming from KRS side should pass via B.C. Lingaiah Circle – Ta. Ra. Su. Circle – Dasappa Circle to enter Dhanvantri Road, drop and pick up passengers near Gayatri Bhavan Junction and take a left turn towards JK Grounds and pass via City Railway Station Circle – take a left turn on JLB Road to reach Dasappa Circle, take a right turn and proceed on KRS Road.

Parking banned from Sept. 26 to Oct. 5

Parking of all type of vehicles is banned on both the sides of the roads around Mysore Palace such as B.N. Road, Albert Victor Road, Sayyaji Rao Road and Purandara Road. Parking is banned on both sides from MUDA Junction on Ramavilas Road till Banumaiah College Junction (except KSRTC buses). Parking is not allowed on both sides from Basaveshwara Road on New Sayyaji Rao Road till Agrahara Circle, from Agrahara Circle till Siddappa Square (left side), Srinivasa Circle on JLB Road till Yele Thota Junction; from Ramaswamy Circle till Saraswathipuram Fire Brigade; from Meelad Park on Ashoka Road till Harsha Road Junction; roads around Gandhi Square (except KSRTC buses); from Gandhi Square on Old Bank Road till Sayyaji Rao Road junction; Ashoka Road Junction on Chandragupta Road till B.N. Road Junction; from Nehru Circle via Mini Vidhana Soudha till Neminath Steels Junction; from Five Lights Circle on B.N. Road till Central Mall Junction (Chatrimara); from JK Grounds till T.N. Narasimhamurthy Circle; from Fountain Circle passing via Bannimantap Road till Kempegowda Circle; from the Government Guest House South Gate till Hardinge Circle; from Circus Grounds on Lokaranjan Mahal Road till Hardinge Circle; from SP Office Circle till old BJP Office; from B.N. Road Junction on Tank Bund Road in front of Dasara Expo Grounds till Shalivahana Road (road in front of Zoo) Junction; from Shalivahana Road Junction on Ittigegud 5th Cross Road till the east gate of Dasara Exhibition; from M.G. Road Junction (Mall of Mysore) on Manasara Road till Lokaranjan Mahal Road Junction and from B.N. Road Junction (Chatrimara) on Male Mahadeshwara Road till the east of Channaiah Circle.

SRI VAISHNAVA SABHA

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INTIMATION OF GENERAL BODY MEETING - 2022

This is to inform the members of the **SRI VAISHNAVA SABHA,** that the **General Body Meeting scheduled on 18-09-2022** has been adjourned to **09.10.2022 at 11.00am at Shri Vaishnava Sabha.**

Owing to the shortage of the members participating in the **General Body Meeting.**

All the members are kindly requested to attend the General Body Meeting on 19.10.2022 without fail.

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'Mischievous' monkeys
atop Chamundi Hill captured

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (MTY& BCT)- Ahead of the Dasara festival inauguration atop the Chamundi Hill tomorrow, the Forest Department this morning captured a couple of monkeys who 'perpetually showed mischievous behaviour'.

Several monkeys were captured and caged so that they do not cause any trouble during the President's scheduled visit along with a host of dignitaries. Over 12 Forest staff including guards, watchers, RFOs and ACF were involved in the operation and till afternoon, over six primates were caught and caged.

Officials clarified that though they have not cleared all the monkeys from the Hill, only a couple of mischievous ones have been captured. These primates have proved a nuisance by attacking human beings and one of the dominant monkeys had injured a person recently all over his head and face, officials said.

As a precaution, the monkeys will be shifted from the Hill temporarily so that they do not cause any trouble. Officials did not disclose where the primates will be shifted to.

Hill Temple awaits India's First Citizen

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After offering prayers and accepting the honours from the Temple management, the President will head towards the traditional silver chariot where the decked-up *Utsava Murthy* of the Goddess is placed and she will inaugurate the 10-day Navarathri along with the CM and the Governor.

A high-security water-proof rest house and lobbies have been set up for the President and German Tents have been used for the purpose. The tribals of Hunsur, Periyapatna and H.D. Kote have made a request to the President's Office for some photographic moments with the President who hails from the tribal community.

Though initially the request was turned down, it was later permitted. A place to the right side of the Chamundeshwari Temple has been readied for the select 14 tribals to take photos with the President.

After the inauguration, the President will head back to the Mysore Airport and fly to Dharwad to attend a programme there. CM Basavaraj Bommai too will accompany the President to Dharwad.

The rest house meant for the President being sanitised.

Public entry restricted

During the Dasara inauguration, entry of devotees to the Hill Temple will be banned till 11.30 am and the doors of the Temple will open to the devotees only after the President leaves the venue. However, there will be no restriction for the people to participate in the inaugural moments. The *darshan* of the Goddess will resume after the inauguration, says a press note from the District Administration.

This morning, Mysuru District Minister S.T. Somashekar, accompanied by MP Pratap Simha, Mayor Shivakumar, Deputy Commissioner (DC) Dr. Bagadi Gautham, City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta, DCP (Crime & Traffic) M.S. Geetha Prasanna, Additional DC Dr. B.S. Manjunathaswamy and others visited the Temple to oversee the arrangements.

Only 13 guests on stage with the President

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (MTY&BCT)- While only 1,200 people will be accommodated atop Chamundi Hill for the Dasara inauguration stage programme tomorrow, the District Administration has already banned the entry of people from early morning till 11.30 am during the time of President's visit.

Though the President's Office has said that over 1,200 people can participate in the stage programme, it is not clear how the District Administration plans to gather 1,200 people as public entry to the Chamundi Temple is banned till 11.30 am.

The 1,200 visitors will be mostly the followers of the VVIPs, Ministers, MLAs and the MP. Over five metres from the stage has been declared a restricted area and the media has been asked to take photos from a distance with high-resolution cameras and larger lenses. Even the media will not be allowed a photo opportunity in front of the stage.

The President's Office has stipulated that only 13 persons will be allowed on the stage with the President and they include Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, Union Ministers Pralhad Joshi, Shobha Karandlaje, District Minister S.T. Somashekar, Kannada and Culture Minister Sunil Kumar, Tourism Minister Anand Singh.

Other dignitaries who will be present on the occasion will be Mayor Shivakumar, MP Pratap Simha and MLA G.T. Devegowda. A final communique is awaited from the President's Office on who will be present on the stage along with the President.

DASARA EVENTS
TOMORROW (SEPT. 26)

9.45 am to 10.05 am	:	President of India Droupadi Murmu inaugurates Dasara festivities atop Chamundi Hill. MLA G.T. Devegowda presides. Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot, CM Basavaraj Bommai and other guests of honour.
12 noon	:	Large and Medium Scale Industries Minister Murugesh R. Nirani inaugurates Industrial Seminar at Vijnana Bhavan, Mysuru.
12.30 pm	:	Film actor Dr. Shiva Rajkumar inaugurates Film Festival at Kalamandira.
12.30 pm	:	Horticulture Minister Muniratna inaugurates Flower Show at Kuppanna Park.
1 pm	:	District Minister S.T. Somashekar inaugurates Aahara Mela at Bharat Scouts and Guides Ground.
3.30 pm	:	Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai inaugurates Dasara Wrestling Competition at Sri Devaraja Urs Multipurpose Stadium, Karnataka Exhibition Grounds.
4 pm	:	Tourism Minister Anand Singh inaugurates Exhibition at Karnataka Exhibition Authority premises.
5 pm	:	District Minister S.T. Somashekar inaugurates Yoga Dasara - Dance Drama at Oval Grounds.
5.30 pm	:	District Minister S.T. Somashekar inaugurates Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav - Flower Show at Mysore Palace premises.
5.30 pm	:	Kannada & Culture Minister V. Sunil Kumar inaugurates State-level Sculptures Expo at Kalamandira.
6.30 pm	:	Kannada & Culture Minister V. Sunil Kumar inaugurates City Illumination at Hasiru Mantapa, New Sayyaji Rao Road.

CULTURAL PROGRAMMES - MYSORE PALACE

5.30 pm to 6 pm	:	Nadaswara by Yadunath and Gururaj troupe; Veerabhadra Kunita by Kiralu Mahesh and troupe.
6 pm	:	Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai inaugurates Dasara Cultural programmes and will present 'Rajya Sangeetha Vidwan' Award.
7 pm to 8 pm	:	Dance feature 'Amrutha Bharatige Kannadadarathi' by Sapthaswara Arts and Creations, Bengaluru.
8 pm to 9.30 pm	:	Sugama Sangeetha by H.R. Leelavathi, Mysuru.

Avail festival discount offer
on branded readymade garments

Mysuru, Sept. 25- The sale of national and international branded readymade garments with a huge discount began at Hotel Southern Star (Hotel Regalis) on Vinoba Road in city yesterday. The discount sale is available till Sept. 26 between 10 am and 10 pm.

In this sale, ladies, gents and kids wear like shirt, pants, T-shirt, blazer, bermuda, kurtis, tops, jeans pant, cotton pants, fancy dresses, jackets and pajamas are sold.

Ladies and gents sandals and shoes, bedsheets, divan set, sofa set and sofa covers, fridge covers and table cloths too are sold at a discounted price.

More than five lakh footfalls expected at Flower Show

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Speaking to reporters at Kuppanna Park yesterday where she outlined the preparations for the mega Flower Show, Poornima said that apart from the main attraction of the 20-ft floral replica of Rashtrapati Bhavan, signifying the visit of President of India Droupadi Murmu for the festival inauguration, there will be a host of other attractions that will be a must-visit for 10 days. Over 50,000 pots with over 32 varieties have been cultivated by the Horticulture Department.

Thandi Sadak

One of the attractions is Thandi Sadak and as its name suggests, it will be a cool road covered with trees and shade. Thandi Sadak will attract visitors right at the entrance of the Glass House. The term 'Thandi' in Hindi means 'cold' and 'Sadak' means 'road'. The place receives its name from the fact that the rows of trees planted by the Maharajas beside the roads restrict sunlight, making the place cooler than the rest of the area.

To dedicate Flower Show and to commemorate contributions of late Kannada actor Dr. Puneeth Rajkumar, two 7-ft statues and three busts of the actor have been procured and they will be decorated to bring back the actor's memories. "We tried making the actor's face with flowers and we were not satisfied with the outcome. This is the reason why we brought the readymade statues and busts to decorate with flowers," she added.

All the Puneeth Rajkumar statues and busts have been kept at one location and a selfie point has been created. The replica of Dr. Rajkumar's house at Gajanur in Chamarajanagar district will be created with flowers and capsicum.

A floral replica of Nandi Statue atop Chamundi Hill, a giant honey bee, elephant, giraffe and 7-ft capsicum has been created to attract children. Over 50 food stalls have been set up and the Flower Show visitors can also fill their tummies before heading home instead of scouting for food. An amusement park has been set up keeping in mind the entertainment of children and there are a couple of rides that are on offer.

Dasara Flower Show Sub-Committee President Nanjappa, Vice-Presidents Mahadevaswamy, Venkataramana Shetty, Srinivas, Horticulture Department Joint Director H.M. Nagaraju, Deputy Director K. Rudresh, Senior Assistant Director Suvedha, Assistant Director C. Naveen and Treasurer of Horticulture Association Shashikala Nagaraj and others were present at the press conference.

Pramoda Devi inaugurates Great Bombay Circus

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (GA&SSM)- The 45-day Great Bombay Circus organised at the open ground behind Mysuru Zoo, near Karanji Lake in Nazarbad here was inaugurated last evening by member of the erstwhile Mysore Royal family Pramoda Devi Wadiyar.

The Great Bombay Circus has added an additional entertaining treat to Mysureans during the grand Dasara festivities. Over 90 artistes from Russia, Ethiopia and other countries with their unique skills and stunts entertained the audience. A Russian lady who danced along with over 20 rings received appreciation from the gathering.

A few interesting acts like tower basketball, roller skating by Vinod and team, sword art by Ethiopian artistes, roller balance, ring jump, reverse walk by dogs, cycle riding by parrots, stunts on rope and comedy acts by clowns among other acts thrilled the audience whose eyes were glued to the performances till the end of show.

The 45-day circus will have three shows daily at 1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm. Organisers are still planning to operate the 10 am show.

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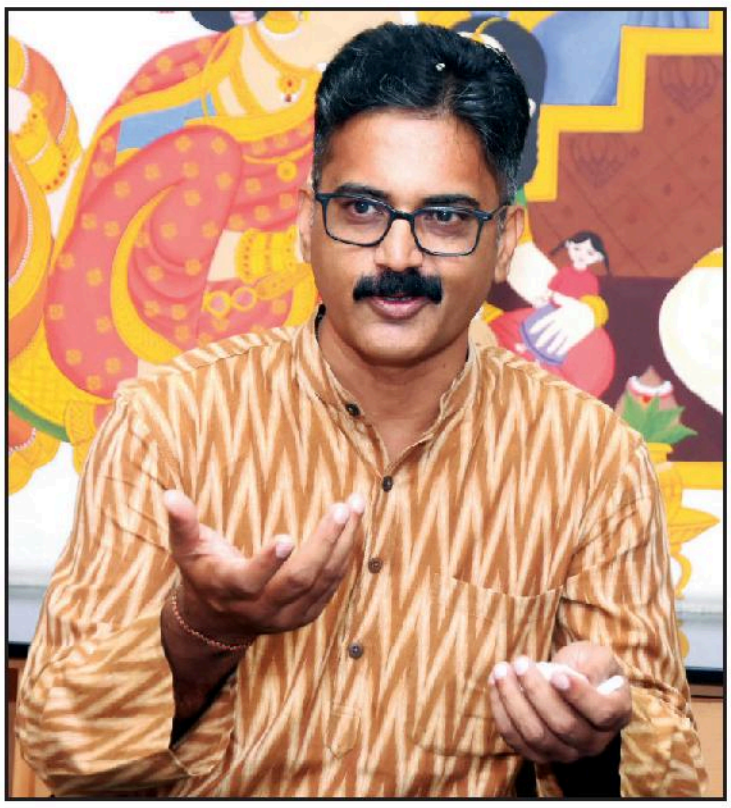
Exclusive interview with Krishna Devaraya of Anegundi Samsthanam

Restore Heritage Structures

Says Royal Descendant of Vijayanagar



Krishna Devaraya is the 19th descendant of Anegundi Samsthanam and Vijayanagar rulers from the Aravidu dynasty. He has done enormous conservation work to ensure that future generations are made aware of royal traditions, culture and legends. One of his exemplary works was to restore the 250-year-old dilapidated Heere Deewan Mansion at Anegundi in Hospet Taluk. This Mansion has now been restored to its original splendour, thanks to his passion and firm resolve to restore heritage. Krishna Devaraya was in Mysuru recently to inaugurate the dolls exhibition organised by Ramsons Kala Pratishtana as part of Dasara festivities. *Star of Mysore* ***spoke to him about the glory of Dasara and also the importance of heritage.*** *Excerpts:*

By B.C. Thimmaiah

Star of Mysore (SOM): Can you tell us about Dasara celebrations in Vijayanagar Empire? We have heard a lot about the Mahanavami Dibba. How is Dasara celebrated there now and on what scale?

Krishna Devaraya: Dasara at the Mahanavami Dibba was perhaps the grandest celebration in mediaeval India in terms of pomp and splendour. Every traveller describes it in great detail — especially about it being a grand spectacle which was unparalleled. At present, there is no public festival of Dasara at the Mahanavami Dibba. Though it is wished that the Dibba be used for its main purpose in the future — the celebration of Dasara. In Anegundi, the celebration of Dasara still continues on a very small scale.

SOM: How do you see the Dasara celebrations of the Government when compared to the grandeur, pomp and glory of the Dasara of the Kings and Queens?

Krishna Devaraya: The primary difference is the nature of the festival. The royal Dasara used to be a religious affair whereas Dasara is mostly a secular affair now with the head of the State not performing any major ritual worship of Devi. Also, earlier Dasara used to involve various games related to physical prowess — wrestling, archery, etc., and was a place for the men to display their achievements.

It has lost the 'vira' component almost completely now. Garadi Manes used to train wrestlers, especially for wrestling competitions during Dasara. Today, the Garadi Manes themselves are going into oblivion due to a lack of patronage. **Whereas the Royal Dasara was about worship of Devi and patronage for various traditional artists, sports, etc., the Government celebration is more about a spectacle for tourist consumption.**

SOM: Is there any major difference between the Dasara celebrations of Vijayanagar rulers and Mysore Wadiyars?

Krishna Devaraya: On the ritual front, they are one and the same. Dasara celebration was earlier restricted to the independent emperor in Southern India. As per shastras, worshipping Devi in this fashion in Sharad Navaratri is akin to performing an Ashvamedha yajna. The emperor used to perform the Dasara festival and his vassals would visit him to pay homage.

Also, seemollaanghana (crossing one's border) to attack the enemy used to be done after Dasara celebrations. When Mysore Samsthana started their own Dasara, it was done to show that they have become independent rulers on their own after the fall of the Vijayanagar Empire. The rituals were followed rigorously. Only the scale of the celebration would be smaller as Mysore was but a fraction of the size of the erstwhile Vijayanagar Empire.

SOM: Does the royal family of Vijayanagar have any connection with the royal family of Mysore Wadiyars? If so, can you elaborate?

Krishna Devaraya: There are no marital relations with the Mysore family as far as I know. It is stated that the ruler of Srirangapatna was the father-in-law of Sri Krishna Raya and was given a position of pride during Dasara festivities — said so by Domingo Paes, who was a traveller from Portuguese India. But no other such relationship is mentioned after that generation.

SOM: You are the 19th descendant of Anegundi Samsthanam and Vijayanagar rulers and you have restored the Heere Deewan Mansion to its original splendour. This is a much-appreciated step at a time when of late people are forgetting their heritage. What do you have to say when it comes to preserving our heritage?

Krishna Devaraya: Firstly, heritage should not be destroyed. We have seen how the 1,000-pillared mandapa in Tirumala was destroyed by the Government in the name of development. If you cannot maintain something, at the very least, do not destroy it. Secondly, the budget allocation for the preservation of heritage in India is very low compared to the number of heritage structures we have.

The budget allocated to the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) is less than Rs. 1,500 crore per year. The Government should allocate more funds and also have a fund for heritage conservation to which donations shall be made 100 percent exempt (for Corporate Social Responsibility as well). Traditional architects and masons are becoming very rare now due to lack of opportunities.

The Government should have programmes for enabling these artisans to continue their traditional occupations. Proper maintenance and conservation work in our temples and other heritage buildings shall ensure that they continue to have a source of income. Heritage conservation should include the conservation of these traditions and the artisan families.

SOM: In Mysuru, there are two heritage buildings — Devaraja Market and Lansdowne Building — that have been recommended to be demolished by the State Government. But the members of the Mysore royal family Pramoda Devi Wadiyar and Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar are in favour of restoration. Since you have the experience of restoring Heere Deewan Mansion, what would be your take on this?

Krishna Devaraya: Of course, we are not in favour of the destruction of any heritage structure. Even from an environmental point of view, they are more sustainable than modern buildings. The heritage buildings, when maintained well, survive for centuries; the so-called modern RCC buildings do not even survive for one generation (average life expectancy is more than 75 years now).

This is not sustainable development. In terms of beauty, aesthetics and environmental conservation, it is always better to preserve heritage buildings instead of replacing them with modern hideous constructions.

SOM: There is a proposal to lease out the Jayalakshmi Vilas Mansion in Mysuru to the Government for 30 years. Do you think this is a wise move? And do you think the Government will do well in maintaining this heritage Mansion?

Krishna Devaraya: It is based on what the Government plans to do. Archaeological Department and traditional sthapatis should be involved to ensure that the heritage building is conserved properly. That should be the primary aim when it comes to such structures; everything else must be subservient to this goal.

SOM: Can you tell us about your family? The people of Mysuru would love to know.

Krishna Devaraya: I am the 19th descendant of Sri Krishna Deva Raya. I belong to the Aravidu Dynasty. I did my schooling at Sri Aurobindo International Centre of Education, Pondicherry and completed my Mechanical Engineering at Bapuji Institute of Engineering and Technology, Davanagere in 1992. I worked in the USA for almost seven years and came back to India in 2008 after the demise of my father.

My parents are late Raja Sri Achyuta Devaraya and Rajamata Smt. Chandrakantha Devi. My mother belongs to the royal family of Narasinghgarh in Madhya Pradesh. I am married to Rani Rathnasree Raya and we have three children — a son and twin daughters. My son Tirumala Venkata Devaraya is doing his final year in History at Durham University, UK. My daughters Shiva Rayakumari and Krishna Rayakumari are studying in 10th grade at Isha Home School, Coimbatore.

Yuva Sambhrama concludes

Actor Ramkumar's son Dheeren Ramkumar addressing the gathering on the concluding day of Yuva Sambhrama at Open Air Theatre in city last evening as he waves Kannada flag with late Dr. Puneeth Rajkumar's portrait on it. Picture right shows college students performing on the occasion.

Royal family invited for Dasara

On behalf of the Mysuru District Administration, a delegation led by District Minister S.T. Somashekar extending official Dasara invitation to Pramoda Devi Wadiyar of the erstwhile Mysore royal family at the Palace premises yesterday. Also seen are MP Pratap Simha, Deputy Commissioner Dr. Bagadi Gautham, MLC C.N. Manjegowda, KSTDC Chairman K.P. Siddalingaswamy, Mayor Shivakumar, Deputy Mayor Dr. G. Roopa, Mysore Palace Board Deputy Director T.S. Subramanya and others.

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (SBD&DM)- Two days ahead of the commencement of Dasara festivities (Sept. 26), the District Administration on Saturday officially extended the invitation to erstwhile Royal family members at the city Palace.

A delegation led by District Minister S.T. Somashekar called on Pramoda Devi Wadiyar at her private residence in the Palace and formally invited her for Dasara festivities by presenting a bouquet and *Phalatamboola* and honouring her, in keeping with the past tradition. The Minister also handed over the Government Honorarium to her.

MP Pratap Simha, MLC C.N. Manjegowda, Mayor Shivakumar, Deputy Mayor Dr. G. Roopa, Deputy Commissioner (DC) Dr. Bagadi Gautham, Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Additional Commissioner M.J. Roopa, Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA) Chairman Mirle Srinivas Gowda, Zoo Authority of Karnataka (ZAK) Chairman M. Shivakumar, Karnataka State Tourism Development Corporation (KSTDC) Chairman K.P. Siddalingaswamy, CADA (Cauvery) Chairman B. Nijagunaraju, Mysore Palace Board Deputy Director T.S. Subramanya and others were present.

Later speaking to press persons, Somashekar said that this is his third Dasara as the Mysuru District in-Charge Minister.

Pointing out that the erstwhile Royal family has been officially invited for Dasara festivities, he said that Pramoda Devi Wadiyar has assured of full co-operation for Dasara.

Noting that preparations are in full swing for Dasara, he said that the official and non-official members of all Dasara Sub-Committees are working in tandem to ensure the success of Dasara, which is being held in a grand manner this year after two years of COVID pandemic.

Speaking about the President's visit for Dasara inauguration on Sept. 26, Somashekar said that President Droupadi Murmu will inaugurate the Dasara festivities atop Chamundi Hill between 9.45 am and 10.05 am. Only 13 persons will be allowed on the dais during the stage programme, who include the President of India, Karnataka Governor, the Chief Minister, six Union Ministers and four State Ministers.

When asked about the absence of KR MLA S.A. Ramdas in Dasara related programmes, Somashekar said that Ramdas is busy with his 'Modi Yug Utsav' programme, in which one Minister is taking part every day of the nine-day event, which concludes on Sunday.

The MLA will take part in the Dasara inauguration and the subsequent programmes, he maintained.

Dasara Expo opens tomorrow

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (SSM)- Tourism Minister Anand Prithviraj Singh will inaugurate the 90-day grand Dasara Exhibition tomorrow (Sept. 26) at 4 pm at Dasara Exhibition Grounds.

Disclosing this at a press meet at Dasara Exhibition Grounds here yesterday, Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA) Chairman Mirle Srinivas Gowda said that they are expecting a footfall of over 12 lakh people to the exhibition this year. "On the inauguration day tomorrow, about 80 percent of stalls will be available and the remaining 20 percent stalls will be set up in upcoming days," he said.

Entry fee for adults is Rs. 30 and for children is Rs. 20. There will be a separate fee for parking which is Rs. 10 for two-wheelers, Rs. 30 for cars and Rs. 50 for buses. There will be no entry fee for School children on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanthi (Oct. 2) and also on Kannada Rajyotsava (Nov. 1), he added.

Stating that there will be 39 stalls from various Departments, the KEA Chairman said that 143 commercials stalls and 30 food stalls will also be set up along with more than 60 amusement games at the expo. "Cauvery Multi-Media Art Gallery is already inaugurated which is open for public. The expo will also include a Sand Museum for the first time featuring sand art works on late actor Dr. Puneeth Rajkumar, PM Narendra Modi, Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, iconic freedom fighters etc. Five minute Laser Show is also a part of the expo which will feature Karnataka's historical moments. Over 4,000 people can watch the show at a time. There will be a free drinking water facility for the public. Eight toilets will be set up and will be maintained properly in order to ensure hygiene. 80 CCTV cameras have been installed at the venue to ensure safety. Information desk, Police out-post, First Aid Unit and Fire Department will also be functioning at the expo," he said.

ENTRY FEE
Adults – Rs. 30
Children – Rs. 20

PARKING FEE
Two wheelers- Rs. 10,
Car- Rs. 30, Bus- Rs. 50

Free entry for School children on Gandhi Jayanthi (Oct. 2) and Kannada Rajyotsava (Nov. 1)

List of non-official members to Dasara Sub-Committees

Mysuru, Sept. 25- The State Government on Friday (Sept. 23) announced the list of non-official members for various Dasara Sub-Committees. The list is as follows:

Dasara Reception Sub-Committee

President - Mayor Shivakumar; **Vice-Presidents -** S.K. Dinesh, Prasanna and Mahadevaiah Karohatti; **Members -** Mudduraj, Premakumari, Sulekha, Mohan, Vittal Rao and Basavaraju.

Procession Sub-Committee

President - City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta; **Vice-Presidents -** Gopal Raje Urs, Umesh and Basavaraj Karohatti; **Members -** Yedatore Ningaraju, Asha, N. Manjula and Mallika.

Cultural Sub-Committee

President - V. Somasundar; **Vice-Presidents -** Srinivas, G.M. Mahesh and Papanna; **Members -** Varuna Prashanth, K.M. Balachandra, Mahadeva, D. Kumar and Dr. Pushpa Iyengar.

Yuva Dasara Sub-Committee

President - BJP Yuva Morcha City President Kiran Gowda; **Vice-Presidents -** M. Badarish, Santosh Kumar and M.R. Mahendra; **Members -** Sourabh and Varuna Prashanth.

Yuva Sambhrama Sub-Committee

President - H.M. Kendagannappa; **Vice-Presidents -** Eerappa, Srinivas Reddy and Hemanth; **Member -** B.E. Vinay Kumar.

Ahara Mela Sub-Committee

President - Devarajegowda; **Vice-Presidents -** Bhanuprakash, Eeregowda and Mohan; **Members -** Nevil Pinto, Suresh, Ramesh Gowda, Raju and Srikanta.

Flower Show Sub-Committee

President - S.R. Nanjappa; **Vice-Presidents -** Mahadeva Prasad, Om Srinivas and Venkataramana Shetty; **Members -** S. Yogesh, Shivakumar, Advocate Roopa and Shivananda Heggade.

Illumination Sub-Committee

President - T. Ramesh; **Vice-Presidents -** Puneeth, Velu and Mahesh; **Members -** Vikrant P. Devegowda, P. Dhananjay, Ravikumar, Arun Kumar, Sanjay and Prabhakar.

Sports Sub-Committee

President - K. Shivananda; **Vice-Presidents -** E. Ramesh, Pailwan T. Ravi and Vijay Kumar; **Members -** Vikas, Madhumalathi, N. Rajesh, Swamy and Raviprasad.

Kavigoshti Sub-Committee

President - C.B. Basavarajappa; **Vice-Presidents -** N. Ravi, Rajamani and Shivanna; **Members -** Dr. Jayappa Honnali, Purushottam, Guruswamy, Bhaskar, Bhramara Sanjeev and Bhyrappa.

Yoga Dasara Sub-Committee

President - Balakrishna; **Vice-Presidents -** Eshwar, K.V. Manju and G.C. Yogesh Kumar; **Member -** Arun Kumar.

Women and Children Dasara Sub-Committee

President - Sunandaraj; **Vice-Presidents -** Hema Nandeesh, Manjula and Mamata Shivaprasad; **Members -** Kumari Kavita and Raghavendra.

Raitha Dasara Sub-Committee

President - Mahesh Kumar; **Vice-Presidents -** Swamy Gowda, Ramesh Kumar and Parashivamurthy; **Member -** E. Kumar.

Wrestling Sub-Committee

President - K. Devaraj; **Vice-Presidents -** Vedaraj, Maheshraje Urs and M.M. Rajegowda; **Members -** Jaiswamy and Satish Alegowda.

Film Sub-Committee

President - Venkatesh Hosahalli; **Vice-Presidents -** Prakash Patel, C.M. Mahadevaiah and Kiran Jayaramegowda; **Members -** D.J. Udeeshgowda and S. Raghu.

Heritage Dasara Sub-Committee

President - Gopal Rao; **Vice-Presidents -** Shivakumar, Nagendra and Guruswamy; **Members -** Krishna and Satishchandra Babu.

Fine-Arts Sub-Committee

President - T.N. Shanta; **Vice-Presidents -** M.N.Chidambara, J. Nagendrakumar and Lokesh Nayak; **Member -** P. Venkatesh.

Publicity Sub-Committee

President - M. Dasaiah; **Vice-Presidents -** Harsha, Ilyas Ahmed and C.K. Girish; **Member -** M.J. Puttaraju.

Adventure Sports Sub-Committee

President - Kumbralli Subbanna; **Vice-Presidents -** Shivaraj, Nagannagowda, N.V. Vinaykumar and S. Nandakumar; **Member -** D.P. Chetan.

Hygiene Sub-Committee

President - Srinivas; **Vice-Presidents -** S. Nandakumar, Lakshman and K.P. Siddaveerappa; **Member -** N.K. Yeshwanth.

Tableaux Sub-Committee

President - R. Chandrashekar; **Vice-Presidents -** Jogi Manju, H.M. Manjunath and G. Parashuramappa; **Members -** D. Arun Kumar, Sunanda Kumar and Mahadevaswamy.

Campaign Sub-Committee

President - Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA) President S.T. Ravikumar; **Members -** 38 Journalists.

Dasara Food Festival returns to the table

- Gourmands spoilt for choice with Naati Koli Bamboo Biriyani, forest green leaf curries, crab delicacies
- Many stalls dedicated to pure vegetarian spread including Davanagere Benne Dosa, Bangarpet Pani-Puri

Stalls being set up at Scouts and Guides Grounds for Dasara Aahara Mela this morning.

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (RKB&BCT)- Like in the previous years where with an elaborate spread of tribal food, especially Bamboo Biriyani, the Aahara Mela had tickled the taste buds of the Dasara crowds at Scouts and Guides Grounds, this year too, an assortment of rustic delicacies is bound to pull visitors to the aromatic stalls.

Along with the Naati Koli (desi chicken) Bamboo Biriyani, other delicacies like juice made out of Makali Beru, Ragi Rotti made of Muthuga leaves, and traditional and spicy chutneys will be in great demand.

The Aahara Mela will be held from Sept. 26 to Oct. 6 at Scouts and Guides Grounds near DC's office and at the MUDA Grounds near the Lalitha Mahal Palace Hotel. This year's main attraction will be green leaves procured from the forests, rich in minerals, fibre and vitamins. Prakurthi Aadivasi Foundation Trust will set up the tribal food section.

Addressing a press conference at Pathrakartara Bhavan in the city yesterday, Trust President M. Krishnaiah said that the Trust has been participating in the Dasara since 2014. "This year, we are planning an elaborate spread of dishes made of green leaves like magade soppu, jagadi soppu, aale soppu, thumbe soppu and ganike soppu. These leaves are grown naturally in the forests and each plate will cost Rs. 50 at the Mela," he said.

The green leaves that the Trust has selected increase immunity and helps fight diseases. They are rich in proteins, he added.

Bamboo Chicken Biriyani

Bamboo Chicken Biriyani is rice and chicken mixed in spices stuffed into a piece of raw bamboo stem that is put into the fire till the outer layer becomes charcoal. The bamboo stem is closed with green leaves blocking the steam while the food gets cooked. "This year, we are planning to introduce Naati Koli (desi chicken) Bamboo Biriyani which is extremely rare in urban areas," Krishnaiah added.

"Traditional forest food includes a Biriyani from jungle fowl. But as hunting jungle birds is prohibited by the Forest Department, the desi birds that are reared by tribals will be brought to the venue to cook Biriyani," he added. One plate of Biriyani will cost Rs. 200 and the masalas used here will be grown in the forests and are powdered with hand-made tools, he said.

Specially-prepared crab curry (nalli saaru) and ragi mudde will be another attraction. "We have been preparing the crab curry to serve with ragi mudde or rice. The dish has great demand and this year too, the prices have been kept as low as Rs. 100 per plate," he said.

Cooked forest tubers with honey

Cooked forest tubers and roots mixed with forest honey, bamboo rice payasam, makali root tea and ragi rotti with muthuga leaves will be other attractions. Kumar, Nagamma and others were present at the press conference.

Apart from the tribal food section, there will be over 174 food stalls that will be divided among the two venues. Starting from Monday, Sept. 26, well-known names in the food business will set up stalls and the Scouts and Guides Grounds alone will have over 100 stalls dishing out various spreads.

From food that belongs to specific regions of the country like coastal food, Kerala food, Konkan spread, north Indian and continental delicacies, there will be exclusive sections for pure vegetarian spreads, said MUDA Commissioner G.T. Dinesh Kumar, who is also the Dasara Special Officer for Food Festival. The attractions here include Bangarpet Pani-Puri and Davangere Benne Dosa.

Sharannavarathri Sangeethotsava from Sept. 26 to Oct. 4

Mysuru, Sept. 25 (SSM)- City's Sharada Pratishtana Trust has organised Sharannavarathri Sangeethotsava at Sri Rama Mandira in Jayanagar 16th Cross from Sept. 26 to Oct. 4 from 6 pm.

Renowned musician R.K. Padmanabha will inaugurate the event on Sept. 26 at 6 pm. It will be followed by Saxophone recital by Vid. Mysore Harish Pandav.

Sept. 27: Karnatak Classical Music Concert by Vid. Manasa Nayana.

Sept. 28: Veena recital by Vid. R.K. Padmanabha and troupe.

Sept. 29: Whistle Vadana by Vid. Madhav Bhat Chenniga.

Sept. 30: Violin recital by Vid. Keshav Mohan Kumar and troupe.

Oct. 1: Karnatak Classical Music Concert by Vid. R.K. Koushik and troupe.

Oct. 2: Veena recital by Vidu. Srilakshmi and troupe.

Oct. 3: Yugala Gayana by Vidu. Vijayashree and Vidu. Srividya and troupe.

Oct. 4: Karnatak Classical Music Concert by Vid. N. Srinath and troupe.

For details, contact Mob: 98458-87237, according to a press release from Trust President Vid. Mysore Kumar.

NOW SHOWING - MOVIES

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  Lucky Man (K) - 4 Shows
- **Sangam Theatre** — **Ph: 2520494**
  Monsoon Raaga (K) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** — **Ph: 2420885**
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- **Padma Theatre** — **Ph: 2521923**
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  Shamshera (H) - 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** — **Ph: 2423554**
  Trigger (Ta) - 4 Shows

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Brahmastra (H-3D)	(S-1)	10.05 am, 1.05 pm
	(S-4)	10.10 pm
Krishna Vrinda Vihari (Te)	(S-1)	4.20 pm
Avatar (E-3D)	(S-1)	7.00 pm, 10.05 pm
Chup (H)	(S-2)	10.30 am, 7.15 pm, 10 pm
Lucky Man (K)	(S-2)	1.15 pm, 4.15 pm
Raja Rani Roarer Rocket (K)	(S-3)	11.30 am
Monsoon Raaga (K)	(S-3)	1.50 pm
Dongalunnaru Jagratha (Te)	(S-3)	5.00 pm
Dhoka: Round D Corner (H)	(S-3)	7.20 pm, 9.50 pm
Guru Shishyaru (K)	(S-4)	9.55 am, 4 pm, 7.05 pm
Trigger (Ta)	(S-4)	1.10 pm

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Guru Shishyaru (K)	(S-2)	9.30 am, 12.50 pm
		7.00 pm, 10.20 pm
	(S-3)	3.55 pm
Lucky Man (K)	(S-1)	6.50 pm; (S-4) 1.30 pm
Chup (H)	(S-1)	10.10 am; (S-2) 4.10 pm
	(S-3)	10.10 pm
Dhokha: Round D Corner (H)	(S-1)	1.00 pm; (S-4) 8.05 pm
Avatar (E-3D)	(S-1)	3.25 pm, 10.00 pm
Brahmastra (H-3D)	(S-4)	10.05 am, 4.40 pm, 10.30 pm
Krishna Vrindha Vihari (Te)	(S-3)	7.15 pm
Dongalunnaru Jagratha (Te)	(S-3)	1.45 pm
Trigger (Ta)	(S-3)	11.00 am

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		7.05 pm, 10.30 pm
Chup (H)	:	9.40 am, 12.40 pm, 4.00 pm
		6.15 pm, 10.10 pm
Brahmastra (H-3D)	:	11.30 am, 3, 6.30 pm, 10 pm
Guru Shishyaru (K)	:	12 noon, 3.25 pm, 6.50, 10.15 pm
Raja Rani Roarer Rocket (K)	:	12.35 pm
Lucky Man (K)	:	12.45 pm, 6.55 pm
Vendhu Thanindhathu Kaadu (Ta)	:	3.10 pm
Dhokha - Round D Corner (H)	:	3.40 pm, 9.15 pm
Krishna Vrinda Vihari (Ta)	:	6.45 pm
Trigger (Ta)	:	9.45 pm

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Avatar (E-3D)	:	11.10 am, 3.05 pm, 6.05 pm, 10 pm
Brahmastra (H-3D)	:	11.35 am, 2.35 pm, 6.30, 9.30 pm
Guru Shishyaru (K)	:	12 noon, 3.25 pm, 6.50, 10.15 pm
Vendhu Thanindhathu Kaadu (Ta)	:	12 noon
Trigger - 2022 (Ta)	:	3.35 pm
Monsoon Raaga (K)	:	6.35 pm
Lucky Man (K)	:	9.30 pm

EVENTS TODAY (SEPTEMBER 25)

- **Ramsons Kala Pratishtana:** 18th edition of Bombe Mane, the doll extravaganza of Mysuru, Ramsons Bombe Mane, #91, above Amrapali Saree Store, Nazarbad Main Road, **up to 7 pm.**
- **The Office of the Development Commissioner (Handicrafts), Ministry of Textiles, Government of India and JSS Mahavidyapeetha:** Gandhi Shilp Bazaar, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Hebbal Ring Road, **up to 9 pm.**
- **Great Bombay Circus:** 3 Shows, open ground behind Mysuru Zoo, near Karanji Lake, Nazarbad, **1 pm, 4 pm & 7 pm.**
- **Bunts Association, Mysuru, D. Chandrashekar Shetty and Yaksha Kalabhimani Snehitaru:** Badagutittu Yakshagana 'Gadayuddha mattu Chandravali Vilasa' by Jansale x Jalavalli Yaksha Balaga, Himmela: Bhagavataru - Jansale Raghavendra Acharya and Brahmuru Shankara Bhat; Maddale - Sunil Bhandari Kadatoka; Chande - Sujan Kumar Haladi, Asha Prakasha Shetty Bunts Bhavan, CA-1, A-Block, Vijayanagar 3rd Stage, near Aishwarya Petrol Bunk, **4 pm.**
- **Sirigannada Vedike Rajya Samiti and Mysuru Sahitya mattu Samskrutika Pratishtana, Mysuru:** Musical evening to honour late S.P. Balasubramaniam, Vedant Atishay Jain and troupe — D. Rashmi, Sinchana Chandan, S.K. Dhanush and Prerana Yashwanth — will render songs, District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Maddikere Gopal inaugurates, social worker K. Raghuram Vajpayee and MDJA President S.T. Ravikumar (RK) chief guests, Sirigannada Vedike Rajya Samiti State President A. Hemaganga, Mysuru Sahitya mattu Samskrutika Pratishtana President M.B. Santosh, Mysuru Sahitya mattu Samskrutika Pratishtana Cultural Committee President N.P. Mamata and Sirigannada Vedike Rajya Samiti Secretary Dr. Sougandhika V. Joise guest of honour, Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **4.30 pm.**
- **Chinmaya Mission, Mysuru:** Chanting of Vishnu Sahasranaama Stotram, **6 pm to 6.30 pm;** Jnaana Yagna, discourse in Kannada on Sri Adi Shankaracharya's "Sadhana Panchakam" by Swami Gahananandaji, Sri Gurudeva Datta Sannidhi, 6th Main, III Stage, Gokulam, **6.30 pm to 8 pm.**
- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram:** Swami Sarvajayanandaji speaks on 'Sri Ramakrishna Charite,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**
- **Kalasuruchi:** Staging of English play 'Free outgoing' by Anupama Chandrasekhar, directed by Seemanthini B. Sharma (with suggestions from Tejaswini Jois), RamaGovinda Rangamandira, near Suyog Hospital, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.** [Ticket: Rs. 100; Mob: 98451-12667 or 98864-57987]
- **Rangayana Mysuru and District Administration:** Dasara Rangotsava-2022 in memory of Rajarshi Sri Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar, Mysuru District Amateur Artistes Forum President Suresh Babu inaugurates, Dakshina Kannada Ranga Samaja Member Dr. Sheena Nadoli chief guest, Rangayana Mysuru Director Addanda C. Cariappa presides, **6 pm;** Staging of K.P Poornachandra Tejaswi's play 'Krishnegowdana Ane' (Directed by R. Nagesh) by Rangayana Repertory, Mysuru, Bhoomigeeta auditorium, Rangayana premises, **6.30 pm.**
- **Sringeri Sri Shankar Mutt, Abhinava Shankaralaya, Fort Mohalla:** Bhadrapada Krishna Mahalaya Amavasye, Sri Chandrashekar Bharati Mahaswamiji Charanaradhana, Mahanyasapurvaka Rudrabhisheka, Mahapuje and Mangalarati, Mutt premises, **7 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (SEPTEMBER 26)

- **Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetha:** Sri Devi Navarathri celebrations in the divine presence of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and Sri Datta Vijayananda Theertha Swamiji, Mangala Vadya, Suprabhata, Ashrama daily prayers, Ganapathy Homa, **8 am;** Devi Utsava, Kumari Puja, Srichakra Puja, Navavarana Puja, Music Concert - Karnatak Vocal Concert by Vid. Kruthi Bhat, **9 am;** Annarchana, Devi Puja, Devi Homa Purnahuti, **12 noon;** Bhajans by Ashrama Bhajan Mandali, **1 pm;** Mahamangala Arati, Suvasini Puja, Dolotsava, Teertha and Prasada distribution, **3.30 pm;** Devi Bhajans and Discourse by Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji, Nada Mantapa, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashram, Nanjangud Road, Dattanagar, **6 pm.**
- **Sri Chandramoulishwara Swamy Devastanam Charitable Trust:** Sharannavarathri Festival-2022, Swasthivachana, Yagashala Pravesha, Ganapathi Puja, Devatha Naandi, Kalasha Sthapane, Pradhana Kalasha, Upa Kalasha, Shylapurti Alankara, Trust premises, Temple Road, V.V. Mohalla, **8 am.**
- **Trayinyas Shrividya Foundation:** 26th Sharannavarathri Mahotsava celebrations, Sri Mahaganapati Puja, Punyahavachana, Mahasankalpa, Ankurarpane, Nandi, Kalasha Sthapana, Mahabhisheka, Sri Shailaputri, Shrividya Vanadurga Puja, Saptashathi Parayana, Lalithopakhyana Parayana, Srichakrarchane, Navavarana Puja, **8.30 am;** Sri Mahamruthyunjaya Homa, Trayinyas, #8, 7th Main, 3rd Block, Jayalakshmipuram, **5.30 pm.**
- **Swarna Nrisimha Datta Sai Peetika Seva Trust:** Sharannavarathri Puja Mahotsava, Sri Mahaganapati Homa, Sri Rudra Homa, **10 am to 12.30 pm;** Prasada Viniyoga, Sri Rama Mandira, 16th Cross, Jayanagar, **1 pm.**
- **CSIR - Central Food Technological Research Institute (CFTRI):** CSIR Foundation Day celebration, CSIR-CFTRI Open Day, Food Technology - Industry Connect, Dr. K.S. Sadananda, Professor of Cardiology and Medical Superintendent, Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research, Mysuru, chief guest, IFTTC auditorium, **10 am.**
- **Ramsons Kala Pratishtana:** 18th edition of Bombe Mane, the doll extravaganza of Mysuru, Ramsons Bombe Mane, #91, above Amrapali Saree Store, Nazarbad Main Road, **10 am to 7 pm.**
- **Inchara Kalakshetra:** Handmade Dolls Show, Dr. Deepika Pandurangi lights the lamp, Head of Perfumery Department-Cycle Brand Agarbatti Jahnavi Murthy performs *Kalasharati*, K.S. Raghavedra has made 170 dolls depicting the life history of Pujya Sri Raghavendra Swamy, **10 am to 1 pm; 4 pm to 8 pm;** Discourse on 'Sri Raghavendra Vijaya' by Dr. Be.Na. Vijayendrachar, Inchara Kalakshetra, #149/150, 4th Cross, 3rd Main, Mahadeshwaranagar, 2nd Stage, Vijayanagar, **5.30 pm.**
- **District Industries Centre, Mysuru and Karnataka Karakushala Karmigala Kshamabhivrudhi Sangha:** Dasara Handloom Expo, MLA L. Nagendra inaugurates, Chamarajendra Technical Institute (CTI) building, Sayyaji Rao Road, next to Cauvery Emporium, **4 pm.**
- **Sri Sharada Pratishtana Trust:** Sharannavarathri Sangeetotsava 2022-23, saxophone recital by Vid. Mysore Harish Pandav and troupe, Sri Rama Mandira, 16th Cross, Jayanagar, **6 pm to 8.30 pm.**
- **Rangayana Mysuru and District Administration:** Dasara Rangotsava-2022 in memory of Rajarshi Sri Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar, staging of play 'Samarakatha' (Written and Directed by G.K. Nandakumar) by Bharatiya Rangavidyalaya, Rangayana, Mysuru, Bhoomigeeta auditorium, Rangayana premises, **6.30 pm.**

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Swacha Karnataka (K)	(S-1)	11.00 am
Mansoon Raga (K)	(S-1)	1.30 pm, 4.30 pm
Kotthu (Ma)	(S-1)	7.45 pm
Guru Shishyaru (K)	(S-2)	10.30 am, 1.35 pm, 7.45 pm
	(S-4)	4.35 pm
Lucky Man (K)	(S-2)	4.45 pm
	(S-4)	10.30 am, 1.35 pm, 7.45 pm
Brahmastra (H-3D)	(S-3)	1.15 pm, 7.45 pm
Brahmastra (K-3D)	(S-3)	4.30 pm

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